

## CLAIMS

1. A cationic electrodeposition coating composition comprising resin fine particles having average particle  
5 size of no less than 0.5  $\mu\text{m}$  to less than 15  $\mu\text{m}$  in a proportion of 1 to 30% by weight based on solid contents of the coating composition.

2. The cationic electrodeposition coating composition  
10 according to claim 1, wherein the resin fine particle has specific gravity of 0.95 to 1.30.

3. The cationic electrodeposition coating composition according to claim 1 or 2, which is a cationic  
15 electrodeposition coating composition further comprising a cationic epoxy resin and a blocked isocyanate curing agent.

4. The cationic electrodeposition coating composition according to any of claims 1 to 3, wherein concentration of  
20 a pigment is no more than 10% by weight based on solid contents of the coating composition.

5. The cationic electrodeposition coating composition according to any of claims 1 to 3, which is free from a  
25 pigment.

6. The cationic electrodeposition coating composition according to any of claims 1 to 3, wherein concentration of a pigment is 0.1 to 10% by weight based on solid contents  
5 of the coating composition.